



NORTH DAKOTA HOMELAND SECURITY ANTI-TERRORISM SUMMARY



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NORTH DAKOTA

(North Dakota; Minnesota) Fires starting up almost daily across Minnesota and North Dakota. The governor of North Dakota extended a Statewide fire emergency order April 14 through at least April 30 due to hot, dry, and windy weather conditions that have been igniting fires from western North Dakota to Minnesota. Classes were canceled at the University of Mary in Bismarck and students were evacuated when a grass fire threatened the university and nearby homes. http://www.inforum.com/news/3722787-fires-starting-almost-daily-across-minnesota-and-north-dakota

(North Dakota) Bomb Squad Responds to Minot Motel. Minot's bomb squad responded to Sevens Restaurant at the Vegas Motel for a suspicious device inside a restroom around 7:00 Friday night. The threat led to people being evacuated from the building as a precaution. http://www.wdaz.com/news/north-dakota/3725794-bomb-squad-responds-minot-motel

(North Dakota) Massive Wildfire Closes I-29 From Drayton to Canadian Border.

Fire departments from multiple counties are working several different wildfires that are burning right now along I-29 north of Grand Forks. The North Dakota Highway Patrol says I-29 in both directions is closed from Grand Forks to the Canadian border due to zero visibility. ND Highway Patrol has confirmed multiple car pileups. http://www.wdaz.com/news/3723221-update-travel-advisory-lifted-i-29-grand-forks-canadian-border-due-fires-along

REGIONAL

(Minnesota) 6 from Minnesota charged with trying to join Islamic State. Six Minnesota men have been charged with terrorism in a criminal complaint unsealed Monday, the latest Westerners accused of traveling or attempting to travel to Syria to join the Islamic State group.

http://www.washingtonpost.com/national/arrests-in-minneapolis-san-diego-in-terrorism-investigation/2015/04/19/5eb1a466-e703-11e4-8581-633c536add4b_story.html

(Minnesota) Computer hacker likely exposed data of 160,000 at Metropolitan State University. An investigation into a January breach at the St. Paul-based

Metropolitan State University concluded the week of April 13 and found that a hacker broke into the university's database and likely exposed the personal information of as many as 160,000 current, former, and potential students. The investigation also found that about 11,000 students had portions of their Social Security numbers accessed. http://www.startribune.com/local/299858391.html

(Minnesota) Bull semen worth \$70,000 stolen from Minnesota farm. The Mower County Sheriff's Office is searching for \$70,000 worth of cryogenically frozen bull semen and about \$30,000 worth of frozen embryos that were stolen from an unlocked barn at a farm in Minnesota the week of April 6. http://www.duluthnewstribune.com/news/3718828-bull-semen-worth-70000-stolen-minnesota-farm

(Minnesota) Minneapolis dispatchers evacuate during city hall fire. Emergency 9-1-1 employees were evacuated for over 4 hours due to smoke following an April 13 fire at the Minneapolis City Hall building that began in the Minneapolis Police Department's property room, located in the building's subbasement. The property room was closed indefinitely while police evaluated the extent of damage to items within.

http://www.firehouse.com/news/11918222/minneapolis-dispatchers-evacuate-during-city-hall-fire

(South Dakota) Second commercial turkey flock in SD found with avian influenza. The U.S. Department of Agriculture confirmed April 9 the presence of the H5N2 strain of avian influenza in a commercial flock of 34,000 turkeys in Kingsburg County. The farm was quarantined by State officials, and birds on the property will be culled to prevent the spread of the disease. http://www.ksfy.com/home/headlines/Second-commercial-turkey-in-SD-found-with-avian-influenza-299228971.html

(Montana) No threat found in suspicious package at federal building. The Baucus Federal Building, Paul G. Hatfield Federal Courthouse, and the State of Montana mail processing facility in Helena were evacuated for several hours April 13 after a suspicious package was delivered to the main entrance of the Federal building. A bomb squad removed the package and deemed it safe after inspecting it at a disposal site. http://helenair.com/news/local/federal-buildings-in-helena-

<u>evacuated-due-to-suspicious-package/article_fa0cf346-507d-50af-bb12-</u>8b6872949ecb.html

NATIONAL

(Kansas) Kansas man accused of suicide plot at Army base. Authorities arrested and charged a Kansas man April 10 for planning a suicide bomb attack against the Fort Riley military base in an alleged plan to support the Islamic State (ISIS), after the suspect attempted to arm what he thought was a 1,000-pound bomb inside a van near the base. Federal prosecutors claimed that the suspect met with an undercover FBI agent in October 2014 and expressed extremist views and a desire to attack American soldiers. http://www.cbsnews.com/news/john-booker-army-recruit-in-kansas-accused-of-trying-to-support-isis/

(National) USDA invests in critical dam rehabilitation and assessment projects in 23 states. U.S. Department of Agriculture officials announced April 9 that \$73 million will be invested to rehabilitate and assess about 150 dams in 23 States to consider structural integrity, flood damage protection, and water supply improvements.

http://www.usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?contentid=2015/04/0092.xml &contentidonly=true

(National) GAO reports warns hackers could bring down plane using passenger Wi-Fi. A Government Accountability Office report released April 14 warned that commercial flights that have been modernized with Internet-based technology are vulnerable to having their onboard systems hacked remotely through the plane's passenger Wi-Fi network. The report states that airlines are currently relying on firewalls to create a barrier between the avionics in a cockpit and passenger Wi-Fi networks. http://www.foxnews.com/tech/2015/04/15/gao-reports-warns-hackers-could-bring-down-plane-using-passenger-wi-fi/

(Washington, D.C.) Man in custody after gyrocopter lands on Capitol grounds. A Florida man was arrested by U.S. Capitol Police April 15 after flying over and landing a gyrocopter on the grounds of the U.S. Capitol building in Washington, D.C., prompting the building and visitor center to be locked down for 2 hours before authorities cleared the scene. The man had allegedly been plotting the

incident since 2013. http://www.nbcwashington.com/news/local/Small-Helicopter-Lands-on-Capitol-Grounds-299870111.html

INTERNATIONAL

(International) Pawn Storm cyberspies still at work, target NATO and the White House. Security researchers at Trend Micro reported that cybercriminals are concentrating attacks in the Pawn Storm cyber-espionage operation on the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) and White House personnel in the U.S., in addition to government and military officials and media companies. The attacks seek to compromise targets' computers and Microsoft Outlook accounts via spear-phishing emails and compromised Web sites that deliver the SEDNIT/Sofacy trojan malware. http://www.net-security.org/secworld.php?id=18233

(International) Russia opens way to missile deliveries to Iran, starts oil-for-goods swap. Russia paved the way on Monday for missile system deliveries to Iran and started an oil-for-goods swap, signaling that Moscow may have a head-start in the race to benefit from an eventual lifting of sanctions on Tehran. The moves come after world powers, including Russia, reached an interim deal with Iran this month on curbing its nuclear program. http://www.reuters.com/article/2015/04/13/us-iran-nuclear-russia-idUSKBNON40YX20150413

(International) Chinese hacker group among first to target networks isolated from internet. FireEye released findings in a technical report that identify a hacker group called Advanced Persistent Threat (APT) 30 as one of the first to target air-gapped networks with malware that has infected defense-related clients' systems worldwide, utilizing custom-made malware components with worm-like capabilities that can infect removable drives such as USB sticks and hard drives. http://www.networkworld.com/article/2909093/chinese-hacker-group-among-first-to-target-networks-isolated-from-internet.html

(International) Feds say National Guardsmen tried to sell guns, ammo to cartel. Two U.S. Army National Guard members were arrested in San Diego April 15 for allegedly attempting to sell guns, body armor, and military ammunition to purported Mexican drug cartel members. The Guardsmen were supposedly caught in a sting operation run by agents with the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) after making more than a dozen sales of firearms

and stolen military ammunition to informants working with the ATF. http://www.cnn.com/2015/04/15/politics/national-guardsmen-sell-guns-ammo-cartels/index.html

(International) Attacks against SCADA systems doubled in 2014: Dell. Dell revealed in its annual threat report that attacks against supervisory control and data acquisition systems (SCADA) doubled in 2014, including 51,258 attacks in the U.S., and that the attacks tended to be political in nature and targeted operational capabilities within power plants, factories, and refineries primarily in Finland, the U.K., and the U.S. The report found that 25 percent of the attacks witnessed exploited buffer overflow vulnerabilities followed by improper input validation and information exposure. http://www.securityweek.com/attacks-against-scada-systems-doubled-2014-dell

(International) Web app attacks, PoS intrusions and cyberespionage leading causes of data breaches. Findings from Verizon's recently released annual Data Breach Investigations Report revealed that the top industries affected by data breaches in the last year were public administration, financial services, manufacturing, accommodations, and retail, and that over two-thirds of cyberespionage incidents since 2013 involved phishing attacks. The report also determined that banking information and credentials were the most common records stolen, among other findings.

http://www.networkworld.com/article/2909953/web-app-attacks-pos-intrusions-and-cyberespionage-leading-causes-of-data-breaches.html

(International) Current threat prevention systems are not enough protection for enterprises. Findings from a recent study in automated breach detection carried out by security researchers at Seculert revealed that gateway solutions at participating Fortune 2000 enterprises only blocked 87 percent of communications from compromised devices within their networks. The report also found that about 2 percent of devices in organizations were compromised by malware while nearly 400,000 interactions that were generated went undetected, among other findings. http://news.softpedia.com/news/Current-Threat-Prevention-Systems-Are-Not-Enough-Protection-for-Enterprises-478567.shtml

BANKING AND FINANCE INDUSTRY

(National) Federal agency sues collectors of "phantom debt". The Consumer Financial Protection Bureau unsealed a March 26 lawsuit April 9 against two Georgia men, co-conspirators, and 7 debt collection companies following allegations that the firms used cold calls to convince millions of consumers to pay debts they did not owe through tactics that involved purchasing personal information such as bank account numbers from data brokers. A telemarketing company and several payment processing companies were also charged in the scheme. http://www.cbsnews.com/news/federal-agency-sues-collectors-of-phantom-debt/

(Michigan) Mt. Pleasant woman admits opening fake accounts, stealing cash at Alpena bank. A former branch manager and personal banker at Citizens Bank in Alpena pleaded guilty to embezzlement and filing false tax returns April 9 after a U.S. Internal Revenue Service investigation revealed that she allegedly stole over \$300,000 from 2010 – 2011 by opening bank accounts in fictitious names and transferred funds to them from certificates of deposit held by elderly and deceased customers. http://www.themorningsun.com/general-news/20150410/mt-pleasant-woman-admits-opening-fake-accounts-stealing-cash-at-alpena-bank

(New York) Vulnerabilities identified in NY banking vendors. The New York State Department of Financial Services released a report on cyber security in the banking sector April 9 which revealed that one in three New York banks are neglectful of information security relating to third-party vendors and are vulnerable to backdoor access by those looking to steal data as a result. One in three banks interviewed did not require vendors to notify them in the event of a data breach, and only half had strategies prepared for breach scenarios, among other findings. https://threatpost.com/vulnerabilities-identified-in-ny-banking-vendors/112209

CHEMICAL AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS SECTOR

Nothing Significant to Report

COMMERCIAL FACILITIES

(Florida) Crash at Disney World auto racing attraction kills 1. The driver of a car at the Exotic Driving Experience auto racing attraction at the Disney World amusement park in Florida lost control of the vehicle on the attraction's course and crashed into a guardrail April 11, killing a passenger and injuring the driver. http://www.wtsp.com/story/news/local/2015/04/12/fatal-crash-at-richard-petty-experience/25684239/

(New York) HAZMAT situation causes Holiday Inn to be evacuated. All guests at a Holiday Inn hotel in Henrietta were evacuated and relocated to a different hotel after a chemical fog was discovered in the business' basement April 10. A HAZMAT team responded to the scene.

http://www.rochesterhomepage.net/story/d/story/hazmat-situation-causes-holiday-inn-to-be-evacuate/37622/gsB7xUSnn0K 80IH 18XiA

COMMUNICATIONS SECTOR

Nothing Significant to Report

CRITICAL MANUFACTURING

(National) Nissan, BMW recall 94,000 '14 vehicles for fuel pump. Nissan Motor Co., and BMW AG issued a recall April 10 for 76,242 model year 2014 Nissan Rogue SUVs and 18,054 model year 2014 BMW cars of various models, due to improper nickel plating of components within the fuel pump that could cause Nissan vehicles to fail to start and launched an investigation into the issue by BMW's fuel pump supplier.

http://www.detroitnews.com/story/business/autos/foreign/2015/04/10/nissan-bmw-recall-vehicles-fuel-pump/25566297/

DEFENSE / INDUSTRY BASE SECTOR

Nothing Significant to Report

EMERGENCY SERVICES

(Michigan) Detroit police officers accused of stealing, selling drugs. Two Detroit police officers were charged with allegedly setting up drug transactions with civilians in order to rob and extort them, in addition to carrying out traffic stops and fake arrests set up to rob people of drugs, money, and personal property. The pair have been suspended from duty since October 2014 after an investigation determined they would carry out the crimes dressed as law enforcement officers. http://www.clickondetroit.com/news/detroit-police-officers-accused-of-stealing-selling-drugs/32276694

(Maine) Police departments hit by ransomware virus. The Lincoln County Sheriff's Office in Maine reported that an employee inadvertently downloaded ransomware dubbed megacode, which encrypted all computer data on a shared network, affecting four towns and the county. The county paid a ransom fee of \$300 to the creator of the virus which unlocked and restored the data. http://www.wcsh6.com/story/news/local/2015/04/10/police-departments-hit-by-ransomware-virus/25593777/

ENERGY

(California) PG&E slapped with record \$1.6 billion penalty for fatal San Bruno explosion. The California Public Utilities Commission announced April 9 that it issued a \$1.6 billion penalty to Pacific Gas & Electric Company for a 2010 fatal gaspipeline explosion in San Bruno that killed 8 people and destroyed a neighborhood. http://www.mercurynews.com/business/ci_27880159/san-bruno-pg-e-faces-record-penalty-punishment

(Ohio) FirstEnergy to close 3 northeast Ohio coal-burning plants. FirstEnergy reported April 14 that 3 coal-burning power plants in Ohio will be closed and secured in a safe and environmentally compliant condition April 15 as part of the company's plan to comply with U.S. Environmental Protection Agency regulations on emissions of mercury and other air pollutants.

http://www.whio.com/ap/ap/ohio/firstenergy-to-close-3-northeast-ohio-coal-burning/nks9Q/

(North Dakota) Equipment malfunction caused Killdeer explosion, investigation finds. Marathon Oil announced April 9 that the cause of a March 7 oil tank

explosion near Killdeer that spilled 244 barrels of oil and 45 barrels of saltwater was caused by an equipment malfunction when an in-line flame arrestor failed and allowed the flare flame to get into the tanks. The company stated that it will thoroughly check the arrestors during future inspections.

http://www.inforum.com/news/3718917-equipment-malfunction-caused-killdeer-explosion-investigation-finds

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

(Missouri; Arkansas; Kansas) Missouri lifts avian flu quarantines. The Missouri Department of Agriculture announced April 9 that a poultry quarantine in connection with the H5N2 avian influenza was lifted in Moniteau and Jasper counties after surveillance and testing yielded results that show no further spread of the virus. Quarantines in Boone County, Arkansas, and Leavenworth and Wyandotte counties in Kansas were also lifted within the past week. http://www.joplinglobe.com/news/local_news/missouri-lifts-avian-flu-quarantines/article_dc10d4cd-2e0f-5138-8a1f-b8a135289d7b.html

(Wisconsin) Wisconsin records 1st outbreak of H5N2 bird flu strain. Authorities confirmed April 13 the presence of the H5N2 avian flu strain in a commercial flock of about 200,000 chickens in Jefferson County, Wisconsin, and that the entire flock will be culled to prevent the disease from spreading. The disease has resulted in the death of more than 1.2 million turkeys across the Midwest, including 900,000 birds in Minnesota where turkey producers have reportedly suffered an estimated \$15.7 million in losses associated with the outbreak. http://minnesota.cbslocal.com/2015/04/13/wisconsin-records-1st-outbreak-of-h5n2-bird-flu-strain/

(Minnesota) Deadly bird flu confirmed at 8 more Minnesota turkey farms.

Authorities confirmed news cases of the H5N2 bird flu virus at 8 Minnesota turkey farms, and ordered the farms' 542,500 turkeys be culled to prevent the disease from spreading. The affected farms were quarantined as a precaution. http://minnesota.cbslocal.com/2015/04/14/deadly-bird-flu-confirmed-at-8-more-minnesota-turkey-farms/

GOVERNMENT SECTOR (INCLUDING SCHOOLS AND UNIVERSITIES)

(Washington, D.C.; Maryland) Guard dead after shooting at U.S. Census Bureau headquarters. A gunman was wounded April 9 following an exchange of gunfire between the suspect and police after the man kidnapped his wife in Washington, D.C., drove to the U.S. Census Bureau headquarters in Suitland, Maryland, and fatally shot a security guard that approached his vehicle. Authorities spotted and pursued the suspect's car before exchanging gunfire that also left a Washington, D.C. police officer injured. http://www.nbcwashington.com/news/local/Report-Shooting-Census-Bureau-Headquarters-in-Md-299259981.html

(Florida) Pasco student accused of unauthorized access to school computers.

Officials announced that a student from Paul R. Smith Middle School in Pasco County was charged after allegedly gaining access to a school computer containing Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test data, and gaining access to a substitute teacher's computer. The school district is investigating how the student was able to obtain the password and remotely log in to the system. http://tbo.com/pasco-county/pasco-student-accused-of-unauthorized-access-to-school-computers-20150409/

(North Carolina) Wayne Community College in North Carolina on lockdown after deadly shooting. Officials reported April 13 that one Wayne Community College employee was killed after being shot near the general library area, prompting the North Carolina campus to go on lockdown while police searched for the gunman who was believed to be a former student. The college was closed and all classes and activities were canceled for the remainder of the day. http://www.nbcnews.com/news/us-news/north-carolinas-wayne-community-

http://www.nbcnews.com/news/us-news/north-carolinas-wayne-community-college-lockdown-after-shooting-reports-n340551

(National) Right-wing group blamed in leak of U.S. officials' home addresses:

CBS. A spokesperson for DHS confirmed April 15 that the department had notified an unknown number of employees from various government agencies that had been identified in an online post that allegedly leaked a number of home addresses gathered from publicly available sources. The department encouraged the employees to be vigilant. http://www.reuters.com/article/2015/04/15/us-usa-security-addresses-idUSKBNON61H120150415

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS

(International) Don't be fodder for China's 'Great Cannon'. Researchers from the University of Toronto, the International Computer Science Institute, and the University of California, Berkeley, released findings that a percentage of unencrypted Web traffic destined for the Chinese search service Baidu was actively manipulated by censors via malicious JavaScript (JS) files to cause users' browsers to participate in denial-of-service (DoS) attacks. The capability was dubbed "The Great Cannon" and could serve malicious code that exploits other browser vulnerabilities. http://krebsonsecurity.com/2015/04/dont-be-fodder-for-chinas-great-cannon/

(International) Alleged creator of Sypeng Android malware arrested in Russia.

Russia's Ministry of Internal Affairs reported April 11 that the suspected developer of the Svpeng Android trojan along with 4 co-conspirators calling themselves "The Fascists" who had allegedly used the trojan to steal money from bank accounts in the U.S. and Europe were arrested. The malware employs a combination of short message service (SMS) hacking, phishing Web pages, credential logging, and ransomware to access victims' account and access funds. http://www.securityweek.com/alleged-creator-svpeng-android-malware-arrested-russia

(International) Misconfigured DNS servers vulnerable to domain info leak. The U.S. Computer Emergency Readiness Team (US-CERT) released a security statement warning that misconfigured, public-facing domain name system (DNS) servers utilizing Asynchronous Transfer Full Range (AXFR) protocols are vulnerable to system takeovers, redirects to spoofed addresses, and denial-of-service (DoS) attacks from unauthenticated users via DNS zone transfer requests. Research from Alexa revealed that over 72,000 domains and 48,000 nameservers were affected by the issue. http://news.softpedia.com/news/Misconfigured-DNS-Servers-Vulnerable-to-Domain-Info-Leak-478331.shtml

(International) Attackers can easily crack Belkin routers' WPS PINs. A security researcher discovered that 80 percent of Belkin routers tested generated Wi-Fi Protected Setup (WPS) PINs based on the device's own MAC addresses and serial numbers, leaving it vulnerable to discovery by attackers using unencrypted

request/response packets via Wi-Fi probes. http://www.net-security.org/secworld.php?id=18204

(International) Victim of cyber-attack replies with own backdoor. Security researchers at Kaspersky Lab reported that it observed two cyberespionage advanced persistent threat (APT) groups called Hellsing and Naikon engage in deliberate APT-on-APT attacks through spear-phishing emails containing custom malware, signaling a potential new trend. Hellsing was previously linked to other APT groups and the group has targeted diplomatic organizations in the U.S. http://news.softpedia.com/news/Victim-of-Cyber-Attack-Replies-with-Own-Backdoor-478425.shtml

(International) Flash Player bug allows video, audio recording without user consent. A security researcher from Klikki Oy discovered a vulnerability in versions of Adobe Flash Player prior to 17.0.0.169 in which an information disclosure could be leveraged to deliver audio and/or video streams captured on victims' devices to remote locations controlled by attackers. The flaw is connected to another double-free vulnerability that could allow an attacker to execute arbitrary code on the affected system. http://news.softpedia.com/news/Flash-Player-Bug-Allows-Video-Audio-Recording-Without-User-Consent-478664.shtml

(International) 1 in 4 employees enable cloud attacks. CloudLock released research from a study of over 750 million files, 77,500 apps, and 6 million users in the cloud that concludes nearly 1 in 4 employees violate corporate data security policy in public cloud applications, culminating in an average of 4,000 instances of exposed credentials in each organization, among other findings. http://www.net-security.org/secworld.php?id=18232

PUBLIC HEALTH

(Washington) Washington state school district removes 143 students over vaccine law. Spokane Public Schools in Washington removed 143 students from classrooms April 13 who lacked documentation confirming that they had received vaccinations or had filed a State-mandated waiver with the district due to a recent measles epidemic that affected over 150 people across the U.S., and a whooping cough outbreak in the State's eastern city.

http://www.reuters.com/article/2015/04/14/us-usa-vaccine-washington-idUSKBN0N507020150414

TRANSPORTATION

(South Carolina) Norfolk Southern says track is open again after Trenton train derailment. A spokesman from Norfolk Southern reported April 12 that the track was reopened and that all evacuees had returned to their homes following a 36 car derailment that occurred when a train carrying ammonium nitrate and anhydrous ammonia stuck a downed tree and skipped the track near Salters Pond Road at Highway 121 in Trenton April 10, prompting an evacuation of approximately several homes in the surrounding area.

http://www.wrdw.com/home/headlines/Law-enforcement-on-scene-of-train-derailment-in-Trenton-299420401.html

(Ohio) 2 arrested after bus bomb threat shuts down I-90 in Ohio. Ohio State troopers reported that 2 Greyhound passengers were arrested April 10 after they made bomb threats while onboard the bus on its route from Buffalo, New York to Cleveland, prompting authorities to shut down Interstate 90 outside of Cleveland for about 3 hours to investigate the scene. No explosives were found and the bus continued on its route. http://www.whio.com/ap/ap/ohio/2-arrested-after-bus-bomb-threat-shuts-down-i-90-i/nkrnX/

(Washington) Worker wakes from nap in cargo hold. The Federal Aviation Administration is investigating after an Alaska Airlines flight bound for Los Angeles returned to Seattle-Tacoma International Airport for an emergency landing April 13 when the pilots heard screams for help from an airport worker who allegedly fell asleep and became trapped in the cargo hold. The employee appeared unhurt and was transported to a hospital as a precaution, while the flight continued onto its final destination. https://www.indianagazette.com/news/reg-national-world/worker-wakes-from-nap-in-cargo-hold,21856423/

WATER AND DAMS

(Missouri) North Kansas City Hospital closes ER to ambulances, reschedules surgeries. The North Kansas City Hospital in Missouri reported that patient care was not affected after a water main break spilled about 500,000 gallons of water onto streets and prompted the closure of its emergency room to all ambulances, and canceled morning surgeries and procedures April 14. Crews worked to repair the break and officials issued a boil order for the areas within a block of the break. http://fox4kc.com/2015/04/14/north-kansas-city-hospital-closes-er-to-ambulances-reschedules-surgeries/

(California) California to build temporary Delta Dam. The California Department of Water Resources announced April 15 plans to install a temporary rock barrier dam in Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta to prevent a worst-case scenario in which Delta waters become too salty for the 25 million Californians and 3 million acres of farmland that depend on it. Officials hope to install the \$28 million dam in May and remove it by the end of October.

http://www.sacbee.com/news/local/article18636900.html

NORTH DAKOTA HOMELAND SECURITY CONTACTS

To report a homeland security incident, please contact your local law enforcement agency or one of these agencies: North Dakota State and Local Intelligence Center: 866-885-8295(IN ND ONLY); Email: ndslic@nd.gov; Fax: 701-328-8175 State Radio: 800-472-2121; Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI): 701-328-5500; North Dakota Highway Patrol: 701-328-2455; US Attorney's Office Intel Analyst: 701-297-7400; Bismarck FBI: 701-223-4875; Fargo FBI: 701-232-7241.

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